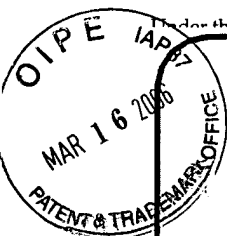


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CATALYSTS, AND METHOD FOR  
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**Statement of Substance of Interview**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

This paper is filed in response to the Office Action mailed on February 2, 2006 containing an Interview Summary. In addition to a description of the interview, the Interview Summary contained the statement that citing MPEP §713.04 that a Statement of the Substance of the Interview is required.

M.P.E.P. §713.04(b) states that:

(b) In every instance **where reconsideration is requested** in view of an interview with an examiner, a complete written statement of **the reasons presented at the interview as warranting favorable action** must be filed by the applicant. An interview does not remove the necessity for reply to Office actions as specified in §§ 1.111 and 1.135. [emphasis added]

In the instant case, no request for reconsideration was presented and no reasons were presented at the interview as warranting favorable action. Accordingly it is Applicants understanding that **no Statement of the Substance of the Interview is Required.**

Nevertheless, in the interest of clarity and completeness, Applicants note that the interview with Examiner Cantelmo on January 27, 2006 simply concerned shifting an elected group in a restriction requirement. More particular Applicants confirmed shifting of the election from Group I, claims 1029 to Group VI, claims 87-112. In shifting, claims 1-86 and 119 were withdrawn from consideration as to non-elected inventions and action on the merits of claims 87-112 will follow.

Applicants believe all claims now pending in this application are in condition for allowance. The issuance of a formal Notice of Allowance at an early date is respectfully requested. Should the Examiner seek to maintain the rejections, Applicants request a telephone interview with the Examiner and the Examiner's supervisor.

If a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at (510) 769-3513.

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